

DSC-H70/B

Camera w/10x zoom/Sweep Panorama

Shoot life at its fullest with the Sony® DSC-H70. Get closer to your subjects with 10x optical zoom. Capture landscapes with one touch Sweep Panorama™, take 720p HD videos, get perfect portraits with Smile Shutter™ or get everyone in the picture with the 25mm wide angle lens.

- 3.0" (230K dots) Clear Photo™ LCD
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features sharp, natural color that makes it easy to compose shots, read menus, and view photos, even in bright sunlight.
- Compact camera with 10x zoom
The Sony® 10x optical zoom G lens brings distant subjects super close for great outdoors, sports, and travel photos. The compact size makes it easy to take with you in a pocket, purse, or backpack.
- Sweep Panorama™ mode
Reach beyond the traditional wide angle lens, and capture more breathtaking shots with Sweep Panorama™ mode. Simply press the shutter button and sweep the camera in the desired direction and the camera continuously shoots at a high speed, then seamlessly stitches the images together with automatic position adjustment to create one stunning panoramic image. Available in wide and ultra-wide options, the camera can take panoramic shots of up to 260 degrees. Now capturing wide landscapes is as easy as press and sweep.
- 720p MP4 HD Movie Mode
In 720p MP4 movie mode the camera shoots 1280 x 720 high definition movies at 30 fps, a standard format when working with a PC.⁵ Users will create high quality movies with full use of optical zoom in files small enough to transfer to compatible PC or Mac® when connected to the internet. Once transferred to a computer you can effortlessly upload your media to popular photo and video-sharing websites such as Photobucket® and YouTube™.
- Optical SteadyShot™ image stabilization
Optical SteadyShot™ image stabilization uses a built-in gyro sensor to detect camera shake and automatically shifts the lens to help prevent blur without sacrificing image quality.
- Active mode
Stabilize hand held HD movies with active mode. For recording on the go this feature was designed to minimize motion capturing the video without all of the movement.
- Motion Detection
Motion Detection, along with Face Motion Detection adjusts ISO sensitivity and increases the shutter speed when movement is detected, reducing blur in moving subjects and faces.
- Intelligent Auto Mode
Unlike traditional auto mode, Intelligent Auto (iAuto) mode does the thinking, recognizing scenes, lighting conditions, faces, and adjusts settings resulting in clear images, faces with natural skin tone and less blur. Take advantage of all the technology without leaving Auto mode. Kids on the playground, landscape shots, a beautiful flower or an indoor birthday party; all result in clear images without leaving auto mode.
- Soft Skin mode
Portrait subjects will love the results. Soft Skin mode recognizes skin tones and reduces the appearance of blemishes and wrinkles without affecting the rest of the shot.
- Natural Flash
Conventional point-and-shoot camera flash shots just don't capture colors the way the eye sees them. Natural Flash mode takes a reference shot without flash and then uses that reference to correct the color, for far more lifelike images.
- In camera guide
Take all the guesswork out of photography with the in camera guide. Its convenient step-by-step instructions lead to a perfect shot.
- Smile Shutter™ technology
Smile Shutter™ technology captures a smile the moment it happens. Simply press the Smile Shutter™ button and the camera does the rest. Also select adult and child priority and indicate the degree of Smile Detection sensitivity. Intelligent Scene Recognition can be used together with Smile Shutter™ mode. This means that beautiful smiles can be captured with settings optimized for the particular scene, even in difficult conditions such as twilight and backlighting.
- Face Detection technology
Sony's Face Detection technology can automatically distinguish between children and adults. Face Detection technology detects up to eight individual faces and adjusts flash, focus, exposure, and white balance to help deliver crisp, properly lit images of family and friends.
- Anti-blink Function
It's frustrating to capture the perfect shot, only to review it later and discover subjects blinked during the photo. When the camera is set to Soft Snap, the Anti-blink function captures two images, recording only the photo with less squinting or blinking. If a blink is detected in other shooting modes, a warning will be displayed after you take the shot.

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

- TransferJet™ technology
- High Sensitivity Mode (ISO 3200)
- Easy Shooting Mode
- In-Camera Retouching Tools
- Self-Portrait Timer
- PHOTOMUSIC⁴
- Compatible with PC and Mac® Systems
- Includes Sony® PMB (Picture Motion Browser) Software ver. 5.5



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Specifications

Convenience Features

Power Save Mode: Standard / Stamina / Off
 Media/Battery Indicator: Yes / Yes
 Red-Eye Reduction: Auto / On / Off
 Erase/Protect: Erase: Single / Select / Date /
 Folder, Protect: Single / Select / Date / Folder

Inputs and Outputs

HD Output: HDMI

LCD Display

Histogram: Yes
 LCD Type: 3.0" Clear Photo LCD (230K dots)
 Grid Display: Yes (Off / On)
 Angle Adjustment: No
 Brightness Control: STILL: Normal / Bright, MOVIE:
 Normal, Auto Bright

Flash

Flash Coverage: ISO Auto: Approx. 0.25-Approx.
 3.6m (Approx. 0.82'-Approx. 11.8') (W)
 / Approx. 1.0-Approx. 2.3m (Approx. 3.28'-
 Approx. 7.55') (T),
 ISO3200: up to Approx. 7.1m (Approx. 23.3')
 (W) / Approx. 4.5m (Approx. 14.8') (T)
 Flash Modes: Auto / Flash On / Slow Synchro /
 Flash Off

Viewfinder

Type: None
 Diopter Adjustment: No

Optics/Lens

Aperture: iAuto (F3.5/F8.0 (W), 2 steps with ND
 Filter) / Program Auto (F3.5/F8.0 (W), 2 steps
 with ND Filter) / Manual (F3.5/F8.0 (W), 2 steps
 with ND Filter)
 Filter Diameter: No
 Smart Zoom® Technology: 10M: Approx. 12x
 (Total), 5M: Approx. 17x (Total), VGA: Approx.
 72x (Total), 16:9 (2M): Approx. 24x (Total)
 Digital Zoom: Smart Zoom / Precision Digital
 Zoom / Off
 Optical Zoom: 10x
 Minimum Focus Distance: iAuto (W: Approx. 5cm
 (0.16') to Infinity, T: Approx. 100cm (3.28') to
 Infinity)
 Focal Length (35mm equivalent): Still 16:9: 27-
 270mm / Still 4:3: 25-250mm / Movie 16:9: 30-
 300mm / Movie 4:3: 37-370mm
 Lens Construction: 10 elements in 7 groups
 (including 4 aspheric elements)
 Lens Type: Sony G Lens
 Aperture (Max.): F3.5 (W)-5.5 (T)
 Aspheric Elements: 4

Power

Battery Type: LITHIUM ION NP-BG1 3.6V
 Battery Capacity: typical: 3.4Wh (960mAh),
 minimum: 3.3Wh (910mAh)
 Power Consumption (in Operation): Approx. 1.2W
 Power Requirements: Battery Charger: AC 100V to
 240V, 50/60 Hz, 2W

Software

Supplied Software: Windows® ? PMB(Picture
 Motion Browser) Ver. 5.3, PMB Portable Ver 5.2
 for Windows, Ver. 1.2 for Mac.

Advanced Features

Image Stabilization: Optical SteadyShot™
 Image Stabilization with Active Mode

In-Camera Editing: Trimming / Red Eye
 Correction / Unsharp Masking
 Face Detection: 8 Faces (Auto / Off / Child
 Priority / Adult Priority / Key Selected Face
 Memory)
 Anti Motion Blur: No
 Background Defocus: No
 Blink Detection: Yes
 Dustproof: No
 Embedded GPS: No
 Intelligent Auto: Yes
 Shockproof: No
 Smile Shutter™ technology: Yes
 Superior Auto: No
 Sweep Panorama: Sweep Panorama
 Tracking Focus: Yes (Face only)
 Waterproof: No

Drive System

Burst Mode: Approx 1 fps at 16.1MP (Maximum 3
 shots)
 Self-timer: Off / 10sec. / 2sec. / portrait1 /
 portrait2
 Shutter Speeds: iAuto (2" - 1/1,600) / Program
 Auto (1" - 1/1,600) / Manual (30"-1/1600)

Interface

PictBridge Compatible: No
 TransferJet: Send: Yes (Single / Select / U2 / CEH /
 CN2 Versions), Receive: Yes (U2 / CEH / CN2
 Versions)
 HD Output: HDMI
 SD Output: Yes
 USB Port(s): Yes - Multi Use Terminal
 Memory Card Slot: MS Duo and SD/SDHC/SDXC
 Compatible
 Party Shot Compatible: Yes

Imaging Sensor

Processor: BIONZ™
 Imaging Sensor: 1/2.3" (7.75 mm) Super HAD
 CCD
 Effective Picture Resolution: 16.1MP
 Pixel Gross: 16.4MP
 Color Filter System: RGB primary color filters

Exposure System

D-Range Optimizer: Standard / Plus / Off
 ISO: Auto / 80 / 100 / 200 / 400 / 800 / 1600 /
 3200
 Noise Reduction: Clear RAW NR / NR Slow Shutter
 Scene Mode(s): High Sensitivity / Soft snap /
 Landscape / Twilight Portrait / Twilight /
 Gourmet / Beach / Snow / Fireworks / Pet /
 Soft Skin
 White Balance Mode: Auto (Intelligent) /
 Daylight / Cloudy / Fluorescent 1 (White
 Fluorescent Lighting) / Fluorescent 2 (Natural
 White Fluorescent Lighting) / Fluorescent 3 (Day
 White Fluorescent Lighting) / Incandescent /
 Flash / One Push
 Exposure Compensation: Plus / Minus 2.0EV, 1 /
 3EV step
 Metering Modes: Multi Pattern / Center Weighted /
 Spot

Recording

Media Type: optional "Memory Stick Duo" (No
 movie recording), optional "Memory Stick PRO
 Duo" (Mark 2 only for movie recording),
 optional "Memory Stick PRO-HG Duo",
 optional SD Memory Card (Class 4 or higher),
 optional SDHC Memory Card (Class 4 or
 higher), optional SDXC Memory Card (Class 4
 or higher)

Microphone/Speaker: Mono / Mono
 Still Image Max Effective Resolution: Approx. 16.1
 Megapixels
 Video Mode: 1,280 x 720 (Fine) Approx 9Mbps
 Approx 30fps, Progressive
 1,280 x 720 (Standard) Approx 6Mbps Approx
 30fps, Progressive
 640 x 480 (VGA) Approx 3Mbps Approx 30fps,
 Progressive
 Panorama Still Image Size: 7,152 x 1,080
 (260deg) / 4,912 x 1,080 (178deg) / 4,912 x
 1,920 (178deg) / 3,424 x 1,920 (124deg)
 Still Image Size 16:9: 12M (4,608 x 2,592) / 2M
 (1,920 x 1,080)
 Still Image Size 4:3: 16M (4,608 x 3,456), 10M
 (3,648 x 2,736), 5M (2,592 x 1,944), VGA (640 x
 480)
 Video Format: MP4 / MPEG-4 Visual
 Sweep Multi Angle Image Size: No
 Still Image Mode: JPEG
 Still Image Size 3:2: No
 Photo Capture from Movie: No
 Dual Record: No
 Audio Format: MPEG-4 AAC-LC

Focus Control

AF Illuminator: Auto / Off
 AF Modes: 9 points AF (Under Face Undetected) /
 Center Weighted AF / Spot AF

Dimensions

Weight: 6.8 oz (194g)
 Measurements: W x H x D: 4" x 2 3/8" x 1
 3/16" (101.6mm x 57.6mm x 28.6mm)

Supplied Accessories

Battery (NP-BG1)
 Battery charger (BC-CSGD)
 Multi Connector Cable
 Wrist Strap
 CD-ROM

Color: Black
 UPC Code: 027242808690

1. PMB requires Microsoft® Windows® XP SP3/ Windows Vista
 ® SP2/Windows 7 environments not supported. Not supported by
 Mac OS®.
2. Uploading directly to the web requires PMB Portable software and USB
 cable (included), and PC with internet connectivity. Windows® XP
 SP3 64-bit and Starter Edition and Windows Vista® Starter Edition
 environments not supported.
3. Tracks longer than five minutes will be reduced to five minutes.
4. Movie recording is limited to 29 minute segments.
5. TransferJet™ enabled media (sold separately) and TransferJet™
 technology required in both devices. Interoperability and
 compatibility among TransferJet™ enabled devices may vary.

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